



PANT

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YOU DON'T
HAVE TO GROW
INTO A BITTER
CRONE AND
HITHER AWAY.
ISN'T THAT
WHAT YOU
WANT?





NO! GO AWAY!

LADY
ESMERAUD!

THIS ISN'T REAL!
I'M DREAMING! I'M
DREAMING! GO TO
HIDE UP -

HIDE UP!

DID YOU
HAVE THAT
NIGHTMARE
AGAIN?

GET ME
SOME
WATER.



EVERY
MORNING,
YOU'RE
ONE STEP
CLOSER
TO YOUR
QUEEN.

YOUR BEAUTY
WILL LEAVE YOU,
AND SOMEDAY
YOU'LL LEAVE ME,
TOO. FOREVER.





ARE YOU
FEELING ALL
RIGHT?

I'M SORRY.
I'M JUST A
BIT PIZZY.

YOU MAY
GO NOW.





WHAT
GOOD IS
HE?

WHAT GOOD
IS ANYONE
I KNOW
SHOULDN'T
GET ATTACKED
HE'S JUST
A TOY.

LIKE THE
REST OF
THESE
MORTALS.



DON'T YOU
WANT TO
KNOW...



WHO
AM I?



DON'T YOU
WANT TO KNOW
WHY WE MET IN
YOUR DUNGEON?

AND WHY
I TRIED TO
KILL YOU?

WE DIDN'T
MEET IN MY
DUNGEON.



WE MET IN THE
CHERRY SNOWFIELD.
DURING THE CIVIL
WAR. YOU KID ME FROM
MY STEPMOTHER'S
SOLDIERS. YOU
SAVED MY LIFE.



AND WHEN I
WOK UP THE NEXT
MORNING, YOU
WAS TRAPPED.

I THOUGHT
YOU WERE
SOME KIND
OF ANGEL,
OR MAYBE
A GHOST.

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I'D FORGOTTEN
ALL ABOUT THAT!
THAT BOY WAS...

...YOU!

CAN THAT BE
HELPER IS THE
HAND OF FAITH
AT WORK AGAIN.

I DON'T CARE
WHO YOU ARE
ANYMORE.



ALL I CARE
ABOUT IS THAT I
LOVE YOU THIS
IS THE HAPPIEST
I'VE EVER BEEN.

IF THERE'S
SOMETHING THAT
COULD COME BETWEEN
US, I DON'T WANT TO
KNOW ABOUT IT



THERE'S
SOMETHING
I WANT YOU
TO HAVE.

IT MEANS
A LOT TO ME
IT MEANS
EVERYTHING
TO ME

I WAS BORN
CLUTCHING
THIS STONE...



I'M
SUPPOSED
TO GIVE IT
TO MY SOUL
MATE.

COME
HERE.







I SHOULDN'T
DO THIS.

MOM...
DAD...

CAN I FORGIVE
HIM? WILL YOU
FORGIVE ME?





YOU'RE
SURE? HOW
INTERESTING...



YOU MAY
SERVED A
HELL. YOU
MAY GO



I SHOULD
HAVE KNOWN
FROM THE WAY
SHE LOOKS
AT HIM...

IT ONLY
MAKES SENSE
HE IS THE ONLY
HUMAN SHE WENT
AROUND HER, SO
OF COURSE HE'S
THE ONE SHE'S
IN LOVE
WITH.





WHERE IS
I COULDN'T
FOOD ALMOST
ABOUT AGE



HE'LL BE
PUNISHED...



WHAT'S THE
MATTER? DID
YOUR PUPPY
RUN AWAY?



MY LADY TWOBY!
WAS A SURPRISE!
I DIDN'T HEAR YOU
COME IN! WHAT CAN
I DO FOR YOU AT
THIS HOUR?

OH, I JUST COULDN'T
SLEEP. I WONDER IF
YOU'D COME WITH ME.
I HAVE SOMETHING
TO SHOW YOU.



I DIDN'T
FORSEE
THIS...







I WAS THINKING
YOU COULD HAVE
WEN BACK AFTER HE
PLAYED A LITTLE
GAME. AS A KIND
OF... PRIZE.



THIS IS WHY
YOU BURGE INTO
MY CHAMBERS
IN THE MIDDLE
OF THE NIGHT?

COULDN'T THIS HAVE
WAITED UNTIL
MORNING?

IT'S FINE TO
GAMBLE, LADY
ESMERALD...

...IT'S ALL
PART OF THE
GAME.



YOUR EYES ARE
TRULY BEAUTIFUL.
I WISH I HAD EYES
LIKE THAT.

GOPS!

MY HAND
SLIPPED! I
MUST BE
GETTING
TIRED

THIS GAME IS
BORING. I'M GOING
TO BED. IF YOU GET
TIRED OF IT AND
WANT TO MAKE ME
UP, DON'T

I KNOW
WHAT THE
PROBLEM IS!

WE JUST NEED
A COUPLE MORE
PLAYERS TO LEARN
THROUGH UP SOME
FOUR BLOCK.

SHE COULD
HAVE LEFT HIS
ASS LONG... AT
LEAST UNTIL
HE'S DONE

I'VE BEEN AT
SEA FOR TOO
LONG. FAR
TOO LONG...

THAT
LAST WISH
PEETY

NO!!!

**DON'T
DO THIS!
PLEASE!!!**

ARRRRRRGGGGHHHH!!!



YOU DON'T
HAVE TO
PLAY LIKE
THAT

IF THERE'S
SOMETHING I CAN
DO FOR YOU, I'M
MORE THAN HAPPY TO
HELP. ALL YOU HAVE
TO DO IS ASK

DO YOU WANT
SOMETHING,
LADY IVORY?

I'M NOT
ASKING YOU
FOR ANYTHING.
I'M OFFERING
YOU AS YOUR
EMPRESS

DO HE
HAVE THAT
STRAIGHT?



YOU'RE
GOING TO
HELP ME
GET RID OF
DIAMOND'S
GUY FOR
GOOD





SHUT
UP.

YOU
DON'T
KNOW
WHO
YOU'RE
FUCKING
HERE

I'LL
BE LISA
MAKING
YOU
PAY...





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Lapis, conceived in Heaven

Lapis, child of Earth

Lapis, borne of a man.

Lapis, who strayed from
heaven's path

but thinks himself a god

begins his journey

to break the chains made by man.

IN THE NEXT VOLUME OF



The treachery continues to escalate, as one habit after another seeks nothing but revenge in the form of death and destruction. The mines are not only threatened by being consumed by carnage and bloodshed but the conflict that surrounds Diamond. When Diamond discovers the truth of his forbidden lover, will he be compelled to kill Lapis or persist in loving Lazuli? Find out in this dramatic end of *Les Bijoux*!